



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/516,450 Confirmation No.: 2998  
Applicant : Gary E. GILBERT and JIALAN SHI  
Filed : December 2, 2004  
Title : METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR INHIBITING OR  
SLOWING BLOOD COAGULATION  
Group Art Unit : 1656  
Examiner : Desai, Anand U.  
Atty. Docket No. : US 1418/04  
Date : July 26, 2007

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time for three-months, from April 26, 2007 to July 26, 2007, for filing the accompanying response. A check to cover the extension fee of \$1,020.00 is attached hereto pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17 (a)(3).

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It is believed that no additional fees are due. However, should that determination be incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 01-0433, and notify the undersigned in due course.

Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to discuss further this matter, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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